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**REPLY UNDER 37 CFR §1.111
TO EXAMINER'S ACTION MAILED JANUARY 2, 2003**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed January 2, 2003, having a period for response set to expire on April 2, 2003.

In the Claims

1. (Amended) A method, using a processing device, for materialization forecasting with respect to reservations made by persons for the potential purchase of perishable commodities, comprising the steps of:

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